



## STANLEY R. THOMAS

**Surprised His Many Friends By Getting Married in Louisville to Miss Suda Marion Thomas, of Farmers, Ky.**

On Thanksgiving day, Mr. Stanley R. Thomas surprised his many friends by going to Louisville with Miss Suda Marion Thomas (third cousin of Mr. Thomas) where they were married. They were accompanied as far as Lexington by the mother of the bride. Miss Thomas is the eldest daughter of W. H. Thomas, a wealthy farmer and trader of Farmers, Ky., and is said to be an exceedingly popular and talented young lady with countless friends. The groom is the son of Hon. John R. Thomas, of this county, and is one of Montgomery county's most prominent young men. After a four days' wedding tour through Northern and Eastern cities they returned to Farmers, where a beautiful and elaborate reception was given them by the parents of the bride.

The ADVOCATE extends heartiest congratulations to the happy couple.

### Make This a Silver Christmas.

At the end of nearly two thousand years Christmas is Old Christmas still. One day out of three hundred and sixty-five when we light the Christmas fire in our hearts, and realize that the true business of life after all is not to make money but to make and keep friends. And do this, call at J. W. Jones' and buy a silver present.

### Toys.

Bring the children with you. Tool chests, 25 and 50c. Mechanical toys, 10 and 25c. Trains, 25c to \$1.00. Toy pianos, 25 to \$1.50. Piano stools, 25 and 50c. Trunks, 10 to 90c. Doll Furniture, 10 to 89c. Dolls dressed and undressed, 10c to \$1.25. The Fair.

A shirtwaist box, makes a delightful present for any woman. See a full line at 22-3t Harris & Johnson's.

Witch Elk hunting shoes, sole agents. Punch & Graves.

Bananas, oranges, apples and grapes at Vanarsdell's.

## Victim of White Plague.

After a lingering illness from tuberculosis, Miss Margaret Belle Fogg, aged 36, died at the home of her brother, Mr. Clarence Fogg, in Paris, last Thursday morning. Miss Fogg formerly resided in Mt. Sterling, where she had many warm friends who will learn with sorrow of her death. She had been a resident of Paris for several months. Besides her brother, she is survived by her mother, Mrs. Addie Fogg, and uncle, Mr. S. W. Summers, also of Paris.

The funeral services were conducted at the Christian church in this city Saturday afternoon and the body laid to rest in the family lot in Machpelah cemetery.

Chase's Plush Robes, Foot Warmers, with carbons, Horse Covers, Storm Fronts, 22-2t sold on small margins at Conroy's.

### Buys Business.

Mr. Wick Bush, of Grassy Lick, has purchased the livery stable of Wade & Horton and will move to the city to conduct the business. Dr. Horton will devote all of his time in practicing his profession, while Mr. Wade, to the regret of his many friends, will return to his farm.

Make some one happy with a leather chair. 22-3t Harris & Johnson.

The best of Xmas gifts—a Diamond—always increasing in value. 22-3t J. W. Jones.

### Buy Tobacco.

Mr. A. R. Robertson bought 100,000 pounds of tobacco from Mr. S. English Anderson last week. Mr. Anderson shipped and sold one crop in Lexington, but upon investigation found that he could do much better right here at home so he returned and sold the balance of his crop to Mr. Robertson.

### To the Farmers.

We will receive your good fat turkeys to December 15th at the highest market price.

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### Monogram Stationery.

The very latest styles in society monogram stationery just in. Let us show you, they are beauties. 14tf Advocate Pub. Co., Inc.

Dressed chickens at Vanarsdell's Friday and Saturday.

## NEW COUNCILMEN

**Take Oath of Office Tuesday Night Before Police Judge Ben R. Turner.**

The newly elected City Council met for the first time Tuesday night and were sworn in before Judge Ben R. Turner.

The council is made up of men of well known worth and integrity and that the new council will continue the progressive spirit of the old council goes without saying as it is made up mostly of men who served in the old council. Our city has made rapid strides in the last few years and we are confident will continue to grow and prosper under their able administration. In going into office they have the best wishes and confidence of the entire community. Several appointments were made by the council, but owing to our going to press before they were made, we are unable to give them.

It is understood several petitions relative to bricking West Main street will be presented to the council.

Diamonds, Diamonds, Diamonds. 22-3t J. W. Jones, Jeweler.

### Special Notice.

We need money and to raise it we offer our entire stock of goods for the next thirty days at greatly reduced prices. We have in stock a large supply of buggy robes, horse blankets and the famous O. Laughlin saddle, one of the best in use. We also have a large supply of hand-made harness for carriage and buggy and a large variety of farm gear. We mean business and the goods must be sold in thirty days or sooner. 22-4t The Laughlin Co.

Your girl will want a doll. The Fair has the one she wants, and don't forget the buggy. 25c up.

### Magowan Horses.

Mr. James R. Magowan, of this city, has returned from New York where he sold several head of horses. Among those sold by Mr. Magowan were Sim Axworthy, Peter My Boy, Star Todd, Leon Guy, Commodore Boy, and the champion yearling pacer of the world, Frank Perry. The horse market was off considerably so Mr. Magowan did not sell his sensational yearling trotter, John E. Madden.

### Splendid Lecture.

Miss Levenia Oldham, who has been a missionary to Japan for 14 years, gave quite an interesting lecture at the Christian Church in this city Sunday night. Quite a large crowd was present. Miss Oldham, who is a sister of Mr. W. P. Oldham, of this city, has been located at Tokio for several years.



If you want something nice for Mamma, Papa, Sister, Brother, Sweetheart or Friend go to PUNCH & GRAVES'.

You will find what you want and the price reasonable.

SANTA CLAUS.

## Mrs. Barbara Risner.

Mrs. Barbara Risner, wife of Wm. Risner, died on the 26th of November, 1911, at Dassel, Minn., of consumption. This family moved from the Spencer neighborhood to Minnesota about a year ago on account of his wife's health. For a time they thought she was improving, but recently she became much worse and gradually sank to the end.

Mrs. Risner was a daughter of the late Henry Prewitt, who resided near Spencer, this county, and she is survived by her husband and three young children. She was a sister of Joe B. Prewitt, Arch Prewitt and Ben Prewitt, of the county, and a highly esteemed Christian woman.

### Birthday Dinner.

Mr. J. D. Hazelrigg celebrated his 79th birthday last Thursday. Only the members of the family, with their husbands, wives and children, were present to enjoy the excellent dinner served.

Mr. Hazelrigg, who has been in the dry goods business in this city for over forty years, enjoys the respect of the entire community and his legion of friends wish him many more successful, happy years.

### Congress In Session.

Speaker Champ Clark has predicted that the regular session of the Sixty-second Congress, which convened Monday will extend through the summer and into autumn. Majority Leader Underwood thinks the Democratic caucus will approve immediate action by the Ways and Means Committee on the tariff question.

### Will Probated.

The will of the late Mrs. E. S. Apperson was probated in the county court here Monday. Her estate is divided equally among her five children. Mr. W. P. Apperson and Dr. J. A. Vansant are appointed executors of the will.

### Elect Officers.

At a meeting of the members of the Sterling Dancing Club held Sunday, Mr. Stanley O. Wood was elected President; Mr. Thomas P. Sutton was re-elected Vice-President and Mr. Caldwell Clay, Secretary and Treasurer.

Inspect our holiday stock of candies and fruits before placing your order. The best the market affords. S. E. Kelly & Co. Phone No. 2. 22-3t

### Bazaar and Exchange.

The Mission Band of the Christian church will have a bazaar on Dec. 8th and an exchange on Dec. 9th at Roberts & Mastin's for the benefit of the new Sunday school room.

Do you want to see a beautiful brass bed. Then call and look over our line. 22-3t Harris & Johnson.

### Shotguns For Sale.

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### Beauty Parlor.

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Pure pork sausage at Vanarsdell's.

## S. M. HAINLINE

**A Prominent Montgomery County Man, Dies in Winchester at Ripe Old Age.**

Mr. S. M. Hainline, of this county, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. D. Poynter, at Winchester, where he had been making his home for the last few years.

Mr. Hainline was one of the best known men in our county and numbered his friends by his acquaintances.

He was one of the best judges of stock in this section of the State and raised and sold some of the finest stock ever seen anywhere. He was born and spent his entire life with the exception of the last few years near the Levee, this county, and his death will be heard of with sincere regret.

His body was shipped here for interment Wednesday morning in Machpelah Cemetery. He left four children surviving him, two daughters, Mrs. J. D. Poynter, of Winchester; Mrs. A. E. Carnehan, of Cane Hill, Ark., and Messrs. Charles and Joe Hainline, of this county, who have the sympathy of many friends in the loss of their father.

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### Painfully Injured.

Monday evening, while unhitching a team at the ice plant, the horses became unmanageable and ran away, running the wagon over the body of Mr. Jack Hollearn, the driver. The wagon passed over his back and it was feared for awhile that he had received internal injuries, but it was later discovered by Doctor McKenna, the attending physician, that such was not the case.

Mr. Hollearn is suffering intense pain, but is not in a dangerous condition.

There are the most real nice things at The Variety Store. Don't miss seeing them. Compare our values on all goods, quality, weights and measures considered. 22-3t Ricketts & McCormick.

### For Rent.

My house on the corner of Main and Sycamore streets. Apply to 22-24 Miss Florence O'Connell.

New evaporated and dried fruits at Vanarsdell's.

## JAMES E. HEDDEN

**Brother of J. W. Hedden, and One of Shelby County's Most Prominent Citizens, Victim of Typhoid Fever.**

News has just been received telling of the death of Mr. J. E. Hedden, of Shelbyville, brother of J. W. Hedden, of this city, who was at his bedside when the final summons came.

Mr. Hedden was a farmer by occupation and was one of the most prominent men of Shelby county. He was 59 years of age and had been a member of the Baptist Church for a long number of years, and always took an active part in church work. He was a Christ-fearing man and ever lived the life of a Christian, always willing and ready to help the needy. His life was spent for his Master and his will be the reward of all those who love the Lord and serve Him as this good man did. He is survived by his wife and one child, of Shelby county, and two brothers, J. W. Hedden, of this city, and R. J. Hedden, of Shelby county, four sisters, Mrs. E. G. Burnett, of Louisville, and Misses Kate, Helen and Sue Hedden, of Shelby county.

**Republicans to Leave \$580,465 State Debt.**

State Auditor James has announced that at the close of business November 30, the following amounts were on hand in the various funds of the State: Sinking Fund, \$44,657.14; School Fund, \$177,990.19; General Expenditure Fund, \$192,706.61; Treasury, \$414,462.92. The outstanding warrants against the State amount to \$1,780,465.24, but Treasurer Farley has issued a call for \$1,200,000 in interest, bearing warrants which will leave the State owing about \$580,465 when the Republican administration goes out of office.

No wonder the people are tired of Republican misrule, as the above clearly demonstrates they are incompetent of controlling the State's affairs. Four years ago they said they wanted a look at the books—well, they have looked.

### Don't Wait.

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## The Year's Crops.

Now that all crops have made their growth and most of them have been harvested, it appears on the basis of reports of the Department of Agriculture that the aggregate yield of all crops for this country is about 7.9 per cent less than the total production of last year, but scarcely half of one per cent below the average for the last five years. This is a gratifying showing in view of the undeniably unfavorable season throughout the growing period.

The corn crop made some improvement during the last month, owing to the unusually late frosts, which allowed late fields to mature a much larger yield than had been hoped, although continued rains did some damage to corn that had ripened early. The total yield is still thought to be over one-third of a billion bushels below the record-breaking crop of a year ago, or about 11 per cent. It is the third largest corn crop on record, having been exceeded only in 1910 and 1906. The corn crop suffered the greatest damage in the states west of the Mississippi River, although Illinois, Indiana and Kentucky also fell below last year's record. Most of the other states to the eastward have more corn than a year ago. The quality of corn is generally poor, and few states have it rated as high as 90 per cent.

The decrease in yields is more than offset in most cases by appreciation in prices. Wheat and flaxseed are the only notable exceptions. While the corn crop suffered a decrease of 11 per cent in yield, the average farm price reported on Nov. 1 is 21 per cent above last year's figure. Wheat decreased nearly 6 per cent in total yield and only rose 1 cent a bushel, or less than 1 per cent in price; but oats declined 22 per cent in yield and advanced 25 per cent in price; barley lost 10 per cent in total yield and gained 54 per cent in price; rye dropped 7 per cent in yield and rose 16 per cent in price; hay decreased 23 per cent in total crop and increased 22 per cent in price, and potatoes lost 17 per cent in total crop, but gained 37 per cent in price per bushel.

This situation does not offer much comfort to those sections that have been hit hardest by drouth or flood. It is the sacrifice of their crops that has resulted in enhanced values for the yields of average size in the more favored parts of the country. Taking the country as a whole the total value of crops compares favorably with last year. The hardships come mainly through the unequal distribution.

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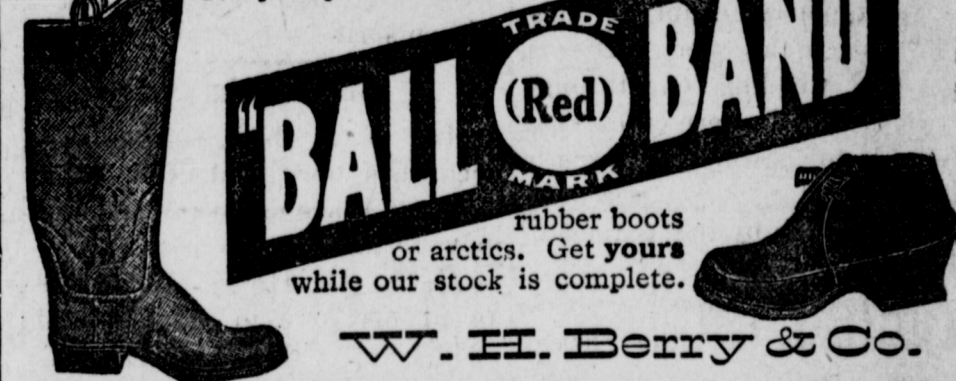
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A bridge has been badly needed at this place for many years, as the water frequently blocks travel and last year while attempting to cross, Dr. R. E. May narrowly escaped drowning.

Reading from left to right in the picture can be seen Mr. Stanley Trimble; County Attorney Earl W. Senff; Esq. John C. Trimble and Mr. Robert E. Tipton.

## Public Sale of Blue Grass Farms

I will sell at Auction, on the premises, at Thomson Station, Clark county, Kentucky, on the C. & O. R. R., midway between Winchester and Mt. Sterling

**WEDNESDAY, DEC. 20, 1911**

At 10:30 O'clock, a. m.

**600 Acres of Land**

being a portion of the once famous Harrison Thomson Farm, well known for its growth of large Walnut, Poplar, Blue Ash and Sugar Trees indicative of the finest of Blue Grass soil and famous for its productivity and large yields of the various crops grown in this section. This land will be offered in four parcels.

### TRACT NO. 1

containing 266 acres, and is located on the north side of the C. & O. R. R. land adjoins Thomson Station, and is bounded on two sides by first-class turnpikes; all of said tract is well set in Blue Grass and Clover with the exception of 50 acres in Rye. All of the entire offering is naturally first-class tobacco land. I grew on this tract this year 10 acres of tobacco that is estimated at 2000 pounds per acre and 40 acres of corn that is making 50 bushels per acre. With an ordinary season it would have made 75 bushels. There is on this tract two 3-room houses, one of which was built this year; two fine never-failing ponds, 17 feet deep, in fact, two of the finest in the country; also several never-failing springs. There are several beautiful building sites fronting the pikes. This tract will first be divided and offered in two parts and then as a whole.

### TRACT NO. 2

is located on the south side of the C. & O. R. R. and adjoining Thomson Station, containing about 217 acres, with a good pike frontage; land is well set in bluegrass, well watered, has one 5 room tenant house, one \$3,000 barn, will hold 25 or 30 acres of tobacco. This tract has a beautiful building site and is in every way a desirable body of land.

### TRACT NO. 3

has about 120 acres, south of the railroad, with pike frontage, well watered, all in Clover and recently sown in Rye; has \$5000 worth of improvements in the way of three tenant houses and two large tobacco barns that will hold 30 acres of tobacco.

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#### To Winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Isola have left for Leesburg, Florida, where they will spend the winter at their plantation near that place. The Isola's Cafe here will be left in charge of Messrs. Vibert Sewell and Thomas H. Williams.

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Late summer rains produced a good crop of late potatoes in the central basin, while the early potatoes were largely a disappointment. The yield is short, however, as a whole. New York is the state of largest production and Pennsylvania comes second, and in both those states the shortage is pronounced. Colorado has suffered much from drouth and disease in her spuds, which have long been famous on the markets. Michigan and Ohio are also short, and prices must necessarily stand at a high level until another crop is harvested.

Courteous treatment, prompt delivery and your trade appreciated. S. E. Kelly & Co. 12tf

#### The Land Shows.

The land shows are again with us. The state and interstate fairs are held in comparative small centers of population, and find their main support in country attendance. In pursuance of the "back to the land" propaganda, great exhibits of farm products have been established in big cities, chief among them Chicago, Omaha, Pittsburg and New York. All these land shows have now been held except the Chicago exhibition, which claims attention this week and laps over the full International week.

The newer countries are making strongest appeals at these shows. State and association and individual funds have been appropriated to this end. Where prizes have been offered, usually the West or Northwest has been the winner, although the Southeast has emphasized its resources quite emphatically. The older sections of established agriculture and themselves in such shows. Last week there were nearly fifty applicants for one fine corn farm in central Illinois, and tenants are bidding as high as \$8 an acre rental for corn land. Small need is there for attracting more attention to such land. The West and Northwest never have been more systematically active in appeal for settlers. The governors of a number of the newer states are coming east with a special exhibit train, supplementing the land show displays.

Where the appeal of such shows effects the transfer back to the land of the farm-raised man, they work the end whereunto they are sent. When they lead the city-bred man, uninformed of farm work, to pioneer conditions, they usually cause much mischief. Not any fool can farm.

#### Suicidal Either Way.

The Mt. Sterling Gazette thinks it would be suicidal for the republicans to refuse President Taft a renomination, and the Winchester Sun thinks it would be suicidal to renominate him. Gentlemen, here's looking at you! How'll you have your carbolic acid?

#### Pardon Refused.

Another application to Gov. Willson for a pardon of Henry Youtsey, convicted of complicity in the murder of William Goebel, has been refused by him. He has refused the pardon once, but in the last day or two another application was made to him. The Governor says he believes Youtsey fired the shot which killed Goebel, therefore he would not consider the application.

November has thoroughly sustained the year's reputation for freakish weather. Ushered in by an unexpected cold snap, it caught winter apples on the trees and beets, turnips and other roots in the ground. Much fruit was frozen. Scarcely had the mercury rebounded before wintry blasts out of the frozen north covered almost the continent. Vessel-wrecking gales swept both coasts, and tornadoes wrought death and destruction, preceding the biting edge of the cold blast. The thunder storms, high winds and deluges of rain that affrighted humanity Nov. 10 to 12 will long be remembered. Temperature changes were terrific. Falls of fifty degrees were recorded in a few minutes to a few hours' time. When people are frozen to death in Oklahoma in the second week in November it is indeed freakish manifestation of weather. The Canadian Northwest has entered early winter, with zero weather and deep snow over many an unthreshed field of wheat and oats. The white blanket has spread south past Chicago. Shredding and field husking have been interfered with materially.

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## AN ANSWER TO KIPLING.

Rudyard Kipling's poem, "The Female of the Species; A Study in Natural History," has brought forth the usual number of parodies which appear after the publication of each of his poems. One of the most striking of these is by Sidney Low, published in the London Stan lard, which is:

### THE SPECIES OF THE FEMALE.

(Suggested by Rudyard Kipling.)

By Sidney Low.

When the Soul of Man awakened, when the Woman that God gave Stood revealed as wife and sister, not his chattel or his slave, Then he formed his own conception of what Woman ought to be, And he made a Plaster Image, and he told her it was She.

For the Woman as God made her wasn't good enough for Man; He invented large improvements upon Nature's crude plan; And he washed that image nice and white, and set it on the shelf, Where he kept assorted virtues that he did not want himself.

Man might govern, fight, and reason, to his perfect satisfaction, Soothed by Woman at the season when his mind was out of action; Woman, good and kind, clinging, timid, soft, anaemic, pale, For the female of the species was an adjunct to the male.

But the Woman as Man made her scarcely suits our modern notions, With her regulated instincts and her neatly trimmed emotions. We have dropped the weaker vessel and the tame domestic pet, And our taste finds something lacking in that saint-like statuette.

So our literary gentlemen have modelled it afresh; And the terra-cotta fairy is a Demon of the Flesh, Half Mother-Fiend, half Maenad; she wolf's tooth and wild-cat's nail; "Armed and engined," fanged and poisoned, for the hunting of the male.

With the morals of the hen-coop, with the Jungle's code of law, With the mercy of the tigress when she rips her quarry raw. Such the bard's vivacious vision; but the woman who can judge, Knows that much of it is fiction, and a good deal simply fudge.

And Man knows it, Mr. Poet! Knows your singular ideal Does not bear the least resemblance to the Woman that is real; For Woman ain't no plaster-saint, and she ain't no tigress, too. But an average human being, "most re markably like you."

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### THE MEMORIAL SERVICES.

The holding of Annual Memorial Services in honor of the departed members is one of the most beautiful customs of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

Last Sunday this service was had at the Christian Church, with the Hon. Edgar B. Hager, of Ashland, as the orator of the occasion. He is a gifted and captivating speaker and the services were very much enjoyed by all who were fortunate enough to attend.

For the edification of those who did not hear it, and for preservation by those who did, we reproduce in full in this issue this masterly address.

We congratulate the local Lodge upon the success of this service and sincerely hope that it will be held regularly in the future, so that the general public may become better acquainted with the real merits of this great organization which, in our judgment, is one of the "Noblest orders that has smoothed the rugged pathway of mankind."

Collier's Weekly is authority for the statement that in the United States one man is murdered, on an average, every hour of the day and night. This record will continue to increase as long as verdicts like that in the McNamara case are rendered. The idea of letting a demon who deliberately planned the murder of twenty-one men off with life imprisonment, to be later pardoned, is a reproach upon our system of jurisprudence.

Col. Roosevelt says he is not a candidate for the presidency in 1912 and desires the talk of his supposed candidacy to cease. We don't blame him. No one relishes the idea of leading a forlorn hope.

### SHOP EARLY.

Remember the clerks can wait on you now, while a little later you will have to wait on the clerks.

#### Congress.

The part that Kentuckians will play in congress this meeting will be watched with special interest. Campbell Cantrill will push the tobacco bill, O. W. Stanley will continue his fight on the trusts and Ollie M. James will be in the middle of the tariff fight. While the other congressmen from this State will be watched closely, the three above named will receive more attention, owing to their important positions on the various committees.

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#### McNamaras' Confess.

James B. McNamara pleaded guilty at Los Angeles, Cal., to having placed a dynamite bomb under the Los Angeles Times in October, 1910, which caused the death of twenty-one persons; John J. McNamara, Secretary-Treasurer of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers, did not enter a plea to the indictment similarly entered against him for the Times explosion, but pleaded guilty to the charge of having caused the explosion of the Llewellyn Iron Works, in which no fatalities occurred.

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### MRS. E. S. APPERSON

One of Mt. Sterling's Most Prominent Women, Victim of Pneumonia at Age of 81.

It was on Tuesday night, November 28th, that the Angel of Death claimed the soul of Mrs. E. S. Apperson, widow of the late Judge Richard Apperson, at her home in this city. Mrs. Apperson was 81 years of age and had been a resident of this city about 57 years, moving here from Jefferson county when she married Judge Apperson, who was one of the most prominent men in this city, but preceded her to the grave many years ago. Deceased had been in poor health for a long time and when pneumonia set in, death resulted in a short while.

Mrs. Apperson was the daughter of the late W. D. S. Taylor, of Louisville. She was a pure, Christian woman who loved her Maker with her entire being and was never happier than when serving her Master. She had been a member of the Presbyterian Church for over half a century and had always been a devout church worker. During her long years of sickness she had always bore her pain without murmur, ever believing that it was her Master's will.

In the loss of Mrs. Apperson the Community has indeed lost a pure, conscientious, loving Christian woman, and while her ashes will decay in the tomb, her soul will live on through all eternity, and when the Ruler of the Universe shall sound his trumpets on that final day she will be in the spirit world waiting to greet her loved ones with her ever pleasant smile.

Five children, Mrs. Margaret Gaitskill, Miss Mary Apperson, William P. Apperson, D. Taylor Apperson, of this city, and Richard Apperson, of New York, and two brothers, Hancock and Strother Taylor, of Louisville, and one sister, Mrs. Caleb Dorsey, of Carson City, Nevada, survive her. The funeral was held at the residence Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, conducted by Rev. George A. Joplin, and assisted by Rev. H. D. Clarke, and the burial took place in Macphelah cemetery.

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Insurance Commissioner Bell has decided that he had the right, through Special Examiner Robert Shingler, to examine the books of the Louisville Board of Fire Underwriters and make public his findings as to the rates fixed by the board as compared with those charged in other States and cities. The validity of the decision may be contested in the courts.

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"Major Jim," the next Governor of Kentucky, has been in public life for about forty-five years. Internationally he is known for his speech which started the movement for the Hague International Peace Conference. In the December sixteenth issue of The Saturday Evening Post there will be a "Who's Who and Why" article about Governor McCreary, telling what kind of a man he is. Every Kentucky voter, regardless of politics, should read this story. Every one will want to and will buy a copy.

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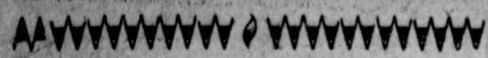
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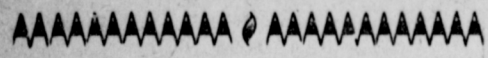
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### PERSONAL.

Miss Mary Vasant Tabb spent Thanksgiving with her parents.

Misses Mary and Elizabeth Lockridge spent Thanksgiving in Lexington.

Miss Gladys Pieratt was the guest of friends in Winchester last week.

Miss Mary Lear, of Paint Lick, is the attractive guest of Miss Olive Wood.

Miss Mildred Tonkin left Friday to visit friends and relatives at Toledo, Ohio.

Mr. William Enoch has returned from a business trip to New York and other Eastern cities.

Mr. V. M. Hainline, wife and father, E. C. Hainline, leave for Eustis, Fla., Wednesday.

Miss Dede Robson, of Louisville, is the attractive guest of Miss Mary McClure Fogg.

Mr. Robert L. Coleman, of "Ashland fame," has returned home, after an extended trip.

Miss Katherine Spence Herriott, was the guest of Miss Jennie Judy Ratliff, in Winchester, last week.

Messrs. Phelps Renick, Ralph Lane and J. C. McClure, of Winchester, spent Sunday in this city.

Mr. B. C. Tynes, of Huntington, W. Va., was the guest of Miss Estelle Kennard Thanksgiving.

Mr. Ben G. Land was in Cincinnati several days last week buying holiday goods for the Mt. Sterling Drug Co.

Miss Mary Huls, of Lexington, was the guest of Miss Jennie O'Rear last week and attended the dance Thursday night.

Miss Mary Crawford Lloyd, who is attending the College of Music in Cincinnati, spent Thanksgiving with her parents.

Misses Virginia Moore, Kate Headley and Edith Watts, of Lexington, are the charming visitors of Miss Anna Caswell Prewitt.

Mr. Lloyd Frazer is in Chicago this week attending the National Convention of the Delta Kappa Epsilon, representing Iota Chapter of Central University of Danville, Ky.

Dr. W. S. Wyatt, of Lexington, spent Thanksgiving with his uncle, John S. Wyatt, of this city.

Mr. Will Shingleton, of Cynthia, spent Thursday here the guest of Messrs. Ross Jones and Rodney Jenkins.

Mr. Thomas Calk, son of Mr. Price Calk, of this county, who has been farming in Montana for the past four years, is the guest of his father's family.

Miss Zerina Stickle, who has been here since September 1 as trimmer in the Clark Millinery Store, returned to her home in Greenville, Ohio, Monday.

Mr. M. Glick, who has been one of the leading merchants in this city for the past ten years, has disposed of his interests here and left the first of the week for Huntington, W. Va., where he has extensive business interests.

Mrs. J. C. Judge has returned home after a month's visit to relatives in Ashland, Ky. She was accompanied by her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Manley, who will visit Mrs. Judge and other relatives in this city for several days.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral of Miss Margaret Fogg last Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Summers and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Summers, Miss Kate Kane and Mrs. Lizzie Metzger, of Paris; Dr. and Mrs. T. Ribelin, W. E. Price and C. B. Summers, of Elizaville, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wall, of Little Rock.

Mrs. Robt. L. Coleman, Mrs. R. P. Thomas, Mrs. Lawless D. Gatewood, Mrs. H. G. Hoffman, Mrs. Mary Winn Lockridge, Mrs. Lutie W. Jones, Mrs. Pattie J. Riley, Mrs. Pierce Winn, Mrs. J. Will Clay and Misses Susette Johnson, Lizzie P. Coleman, Julia Morris, and others went to Lexington to see The Imperial Russian Ballet, with Mikail Mordkin and his host of famous co-stars, in the ocular opera, "The Lake of Swans."

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#### Dies at Aunt's Home.

Miss Alice W. Drye died at the residence of her aunt, Miss Bettie Hardwick, in this city, Sunday, Dec. 3, of acute Bright's disease. Miss Drye was 34 years of age, was born and raised in this county and made her home in the Jeffersonville neighborhood for years, although for some time past she had been in New Mexico in the hope of benefiting her health. She was a woman of lovely Christian character and her many friends will regret to learn of her death.

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#### Shower.

The shower to be given by the ladies of the W. C. T. U. will be held at Mrs. Bruce Trimble's residence on High street Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The shower is for the benefit of the W. C. T. U. settlement school at Hindman, Ky. Everybody invited.

### THE SICK.

Mrs. G. E. Coons is somewhat better.

Mr. H. G. Tabb continues dangerously ill.

Mr. W. A. DeHaven remains about the same.

Mr. J. Roger Gatewood remains about the same.

Mrs. J. Q. Stephens continues about the same.

Mrs. C. C. Turner is quite sick with appendicitis.

Mr. John Fitzgerald has been sick for some time.

Mrs. J. T. Branham is confined to her room with asthma.

Mr. Sam Green has been on the sick list for a few days.

Dan Hollearn has been confined to his home with lagripp.

Peter Kelley, who has been confined to his bed, is doing nicely.

Little Berney McCracken, son of Bud McCracken, is quite sick with tonsillitis.

Mrs. Ben McMichael has returned from a hospital in Lexington greatly improved.

Clay Cooper, while feeding his little girl's pony, was kicked and painfully injured.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, who has been very ill for some time past, is showing slight improvement.

Judge G. Allen McCormick, who is at the Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, is improving nicely and expects to return home within the next few days.

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### RELIGIOUS

Rev. J. L. Cotton, of Louisville, will preach in the First Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning and evening.

The revival services at the Methodist church, conducted by Rev. J. B. Harris, closed Sunday evening. The meeting was a most successful one and the church and community at large was much benefited.

Rev. Harris left for Sharpsburg where he will conduct a two weeks' meeting. It affords us much pleasure in commending him to the good people of Bath county as an excellent preacher and a sincere Christian gentleman.

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#### Loses Brother and Sister.

Mrs. G. B. Swango received a message Dec. 4 announcing the death of her brother, John B. Young, of Cedar Bluff, Va. She also received news of the death of a sister, Mrs. Evaline Boyd, of Bluefield, W. Va., Nov. 4, just one month before. Mrs. Boyd was 89 years old and Mr. Young, 87, the two oldest of a family of 12 children.

#### Box Supper.

The ladies of the Somerset Christian church will give a box supper, Saturday, December 16, 1911. Everybody invited. 22-2t

### SOCIAL EVENTS.

The Sterling Dancing Club gave its annual Thanksgiving dance at Trimble's Hall on Thursday evening, which was largely attended by guests from this and other cities. Among the visitors were: Mrs. Roy Wilhoit, Misses Helen Douthitt, Ruth Roberts, of Frankfort; Miss Ida Wise, of Ohio; Miss Cornelia Anderson, of Lexington; Miss Mary Vance and Misses Duty, of Winchester. The hall was beautifully decorated, and the dance was a most enjoyable affair. The music was furnished by the Lexington Opera House orchestra.

#### Bridge Club.

Miss Cora Baldwin entertained in honor of her two lovely visitors, Miss Jane Joplin, of Louisville, and Miss Rebecca Kendall, of Mt. Sterling. The games were played at several attractive small tables, and were a source of much enthusiasm and enjoyment.

A delicious meat course was served by the attractive young hostess in a charming manner.

Misses Joplin and Kendall are among the most attractive of Winchester's many lovely visitors. They have been the recipients of several beautiful favors during their visit to Miss Baldwin.—Winchester News.

#### Entertains.

Mr. Ross Jones entertained Messrs. Fred Deitz, Rodney Jenkins, Carroll Jones, and Will Shingleton, of Cynthia, at dinner Thursday of last week.

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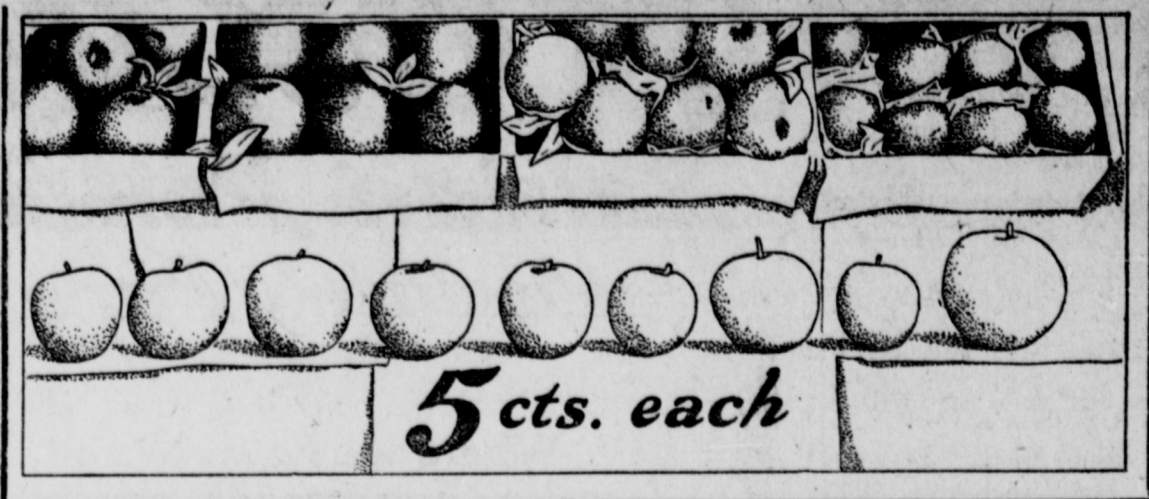
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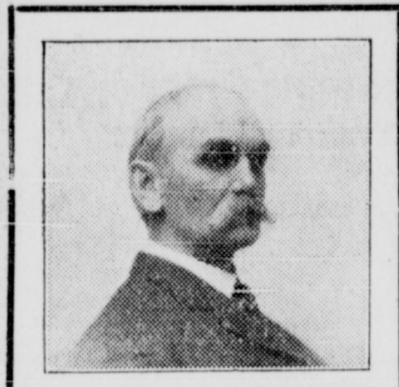
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## "Talk with Hoffman"

Mt. Sterling, Kentucky

### COUNTY COURT DAYS.

Following is a list of days County Courts are held in counties near Mt. Sterling.

Bath, Owingsville, 2d Monday.  
Bourbon, Paris, 1st Monday.  
Clark, Winchester, 4th Monday.  
Fayette, Lexington, 2d Monday.  
Fleming, Flemingsburg, 4th Monday.  
Harrison, Cynthiana, 4th Monday.  
Madison, Richmond, 1st Monday.  
Montgomery, Mt. Sterling, 3rd Monday.  
Nicholas, Carlisle, 2nd Monday.

### Still Missing.

The relatives of Charles Jones, of this county, are greatly alarmed over the disappearance of the man, and believe he is a victim of foul play. Jones, who is a farmer of the Stepstone neighborhood, single and thirty-three years old, left his home over two weeks ago and no trace of him can be found.

There was no reason for the man leaving home. He was last seen here, where he bought a ticket for Louisville. He had twenty-five dollars in money when last seen, and his relatives fear he has been murdered. Louisville detectives have been notified to be on the lookout for the man.

### Business Stationery.

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When the Dr. Howard Company talked with W. S. Lloyd in regard to introducing their Specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia, he advised them to sell their 50 cent size at the popular price of 25 cents. He told them that he could sell ten bottles at this price where he could sell one at 50 cents, and the result has proven his business judgment. The sales on this now famous Specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia, have been so remarkably large that they have decided to make the price 25 cents in the future; not diminishing the amount of medicine that they put in each package, (60 doses, a month's treatment.) Dr. Howard's Specific is sold under W. S. Lloyd's absolute guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure constipation, dyspepsia, and all forms of liver trouble.

### For Sale.

On account of bad health, I have decided to sell my farm, containing 109 acres, located on the Spencer pike, about 2½ miles from Mt. Sterling. This is one of the best farms in the county, most of it being sown down in grass. Lots of good tobacco land. Lays well and nearly every foot can be cultivated. Has good new house on it, one of the best stock barns in the county and other outbuildings. It is within half mile of church and school house, and has railroad station almost at the gate. This is a rare opportunity for anyone that wants to buy a splendid farm.  
18tf J. Roger Gatewood.

### For Sale.

1500 shocks of corn on Mt. Sterling and Winchester turnpike, near Sewell's Shop; place to feed same until grass. J. C. Scobee,  
20-3t Winchester, Ky.

The Missouri Supreme Court has decided that the International Harvester Co. violates the common and the anti-trust law of the state, and has ousted the selling company from the state, and imposed a \$50,000 fine. The company declares that the decision is based on technical grounds. The court's conclusions seem to render it quite difficult, if not impossible, for the harvester company to do business in that state.

Pure pork link sausage at Greenwade's.

### Heavy Cattle Will Command a Premium.

Conditions in many sections are not favorable for holding either cattle or sheep. Roughage is scarce and grain costly. Hay is held at prohibitive prices and an abnormally wet fall season has damaged what promised to be a wealth of corn fodder. The hope of the stockman is an open winter. At present every bulge in prices prompts generous car orders. Most of the cattle in feeders' hands show a profit, and there is a disposition to seize the bird in the hand.

At this juncture the owner of a silo is indifferent alike to the price of hay or the condition of stalk-fields. His silo is an effective insurance against such adverse factors. With a dry feedlot and comfortable shelter for his cattle and sheep he is immune from such handicaps as a fickle climate imposes. And more cattle and sheep are finishing on silage this year than ever before.

For several weeks market offerings of medium cattle promise to be profuse, especially if weather conditions are adverse to making gains. A large number have gone on feed and sooner or later they will come back, most of them probably lacking weight. The season is not propitious for burdening either cattle, hogs or sheep with weight. Last year weight was handicap at the stockyards; that it will command a premium during the next few months is assured.

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### Reasons for Thanksgiving.

Many American farmers must be thankful this year for the variety rather than the extent of their blessings, and in some cases for the prospect rather than the realization of prosperity. The vagaries of a fickle season have distributed the bounties of nature unevenly. There is a marked shortage of some of the principal crops as compared with the bumper production of a year ago, but the increase in prices is generally more than sufficient to offset the decrease in average production. The average yield of all crops is within 7.9 per cent of last year's figures.

The protracted summer drouth over a wide territory substantially checked the increase of certain insect and fungus enemies of crops. It was the first dry season for several years in some of the semi-arid sections where settlement has been heavy. There it taught the new farmers the limitations of those regions. It convinced settlers that the staple crops of the East will not make remunerative yields under meager rainfall. The cattleman of the West is thankful because the rigorous season demonstrated that much of his territory is suited only to grazing.

The shortage in hay drove corn-belt farmers to utilize all the corn crop. The corn-shock proved unsafe where carelessly made; the silo, the greatest conservator of feed from corn, proved equal to the emergency. Cornbelt agriculture is ripe for a full utilization of the corn crop in sustaining the herds of cattle which will be necessary to supply the shortage of prime beef, and the value of the silo has been fully shown.

All branches of the live stock industry have a healthy undertone. Through a season of heavy marketing the price of the best draft horses has held up steadily, and the fall sales of pure-bred horses reveal the broad conservative search of farmers for high-class mares. The cattle market is finishing the season with a return to lofty prices with the business. Breeders are now beginning to reap their reward. No doubt now exists regarding the inadequate production of beef, and there is a return to cattle-breeding that will afford an enlarged outlet for breeding stock. The era of liquidation of range flocks has about reached its limits, and flocks will be established on many farms. Swine-raisers apparently face a period of ascending values. Disease has forced many localities to cash in hogs prematurely. There has been abundant opportunity to prove the efficacy of serum protection, so that breeding operations may in future be conducted with more certainty.

The dairyman has fared unusually well. The demand for his products and his stock has been insatiable. Prices have been remunerative to a degree scarcely anticipated, assuring the permanence of dairying as a large and profitable industry. The eagerness with which dairymen are adopting the best methods and appliances indicates the security of their foundation work.

Perhaps the greatest cause for general thankfulness among American farmers this year is the persistent search for the most resultful methods in every detail of farm management. In spite of the unfavorable season, exhibits at fairs were of record-breaking volume and excellence, and visitors came in greater numbers than ever before, and this good work continues. The International show furnishes the climax of the season's exhibitions with an unequalled number of entries of winnowed quality. Enthusiastic farmers' institutes, the spread of agricultural instruction in schools of the lower grades, and the record attendance this fall at the agricultural colleges, all reflect the insatiable thirst for knowledge, which is after all the index of permanent agricultural prosperity. In every community the practical

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ANY of these symptoms and many others indicate inaction of the LIVER.

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Take No Substitute.

value of modern methods has been demonstrated. In those regions which were hit hardest by disease, drouth, flood and frost, the man who farmed according to the latest standards for his locality has reaped a greater harvest than his less progressive neighbors. For all of these things let us be duly thankful.

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Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### Frank Allen Married.

Mr. Frank Allen, son of Mrs. J. Will Allen, formerly of this county, was recently married in San Diego, Cal., to Miss Violet Morrison. Mr. Allen is well remembered here and has many friends who will be interested to learn of his wedding.

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x 7:19 a. m.	Louisville	x 12:39 p. m.
x 3:47 p. m.	Louisville	x 9:37 p. m.
x 5:50 a. m.	Lexington	x 9:20 a. m.
x 2:15 p. m.	Lexington	x 7:05 p. m.
x 9:30 a. m.	Rothwell	x 12:05 p. m.
x 12:39 p. m.	New York	x 7:19 a. m.
x 9:37 p. m.	Norfolk	x 3:47 p. m.
x 9:20 a. m.	Richmond	x 2:15 p. m.
	Pikeville	
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## Lexington & Eastern Ry

### TIME TABLE.

Effective May 28, 1911

### West-Bound.

STATIONS	No. 1 Daily A. M.	No. 3 Daily P. M.
Lv. Quicksand	5:05	1:25
Lv. Jackson	5:10	1:50
" O. & K. Junction	5:10	1:57
" Athol	5:35	2:22
" Beattyville Junction	6:03	2:51
" Torrent	6:25	3:12
" Campton Junction	6:43	3:30
" Clay City	7:19	4:05
" L. & E. Junction	7:51	4:37
" Winchester	8:25	4:50
Ar. Lexington	8:50	5:35

### East-Bound.

STATIONS	No. 2 Daily P. M.	No. 4 Daily A. M.
Lv. Lexington	7:35	7:20
" Winchester	2:17	8:03
" L. & E. Junction	2:35	8:18
" Clay City	3:05	8:50
" Campton Junction	3:47	9:27
" Torrent	4:04	9:44
" Beattyville Junction	4:25	10:04
" Athol	4:52	10:30
" O. & K. Junction	5:19	10:57
" Jackson	5:25	11:05
Ar. Quicksand		11:25

### CONNECTIONS.

LEXINGTON—Train No. 1 will make connection at Lexington with the L. & N. for Louisville, Ky. No. 3 will make connection with the L. & N. at Lexington for Cincinnati, O.

CAMPTON JUNCTION—Trains Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 will make connection with Mountain Central Ry. to and from Campton, Ky.

BEATTYVILLE JUNCTION—Trains Nos. 1, 2 and 3 will make connection with the L. & A. Railway for Beattyville.

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"At sun-rise every soul  
Is born anew."  
Each morning means another chance  
For you.  
When darkness comes repent of every sin,  
With morning's light forget them and  
begin  
The day with courage and true.  
Sin and sorrow to the dim dead Past  
belong,  
They too are dead.  
The Present is yours—to live the Past is  
wrong.  
Instead of backward, look ahead.  
The Heights of Clearer Vision you may  
scale,  
Or you may pierce some dim and misty  
veil,  
That will Light on your pathway shed.  
The Past shall never come again,  
So time assures.  
The Future rests with God alone,  
It is not yours.  
But each day as it comes is yours to use,  
Strive today not one precious minute  
lose,  
For this the future secures.

## Will Go to Florida.

Mr. E. H. Grear, of Jeffersonville, this county, has disposed of his interests in the county and will leave shortly with his five sons for Eustis, Florida, with a view of locating.

"Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently."—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala. 1m

## Typewriter For Sale.

Oliver Standard Visible No. 3 Typewriter, good as new. A bargain if sold at once. Apply at this office.

Call phone 85 and 100 for your meats, pure pork and link sausage.

## Sheriff's Sale

By virtue of an Execution No. 114, directed to me, which issued from the Clerk's office of the Montgomery Circuit Court, in favor of The Stewart Dry Goods Co., against Mrs. Elizabeth Cott, or one of my Deputies, will, on Monday,

18th Day of December, 1911

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., at the Court House door in Mt. Sterling, Montgomery county, Ky., expose to public sale, to the highest bidder, the following property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy Plaintiff's debt, interest and costs to-wit:

The undivided 1-5 interest of the defendant, Elizabeth Cott, subject to the life estate of her mother, Mrs. Lelia Woodford, a certain tract or parcel of land lying on the waters of Slate Creek in Montgomery county, Kentucky, and bounded as follows: North by lands of Sid Hart and Ed. Young; West by dirt road and the lands of Millard Tapp and J. W. Chenault; South by lands of Fortune and Walker; East by lands of Ed. Young and contains 290 acres of land more or less. Amount of plaintiff's debt, interest and cost \$130.42, levied on as property of Mrs. Elizabeth Cott.

TERMS: Sale will be made on a credit of three months; the purchaser to execute bond with approved security, to leave the force and effect of a Replevin Bond.

Witness my hand this 21 day of November, 1911.  
W. F. CROOKS,  
21-3 Sheriff Montgomery County.

## All Kentuckians Are Invited to Inauguration.

The Citizens' Executive Committee, in the charge of the preparation for the inauguration of Governor-elect James B. McCreary has decided not to issue any individual invitations, but regarding the occasion as one of general public interest to all Kentuckians as follows:

### INAUGURAL INVITATION.

"The inauguration of James B. McCreary as Governor and Edward J. McDermott as Lieutenant Governor, will take place at the Capitol, Frankfort, at noon on Tuesday, December 12, 1911.

"All Kentuckians, regardless of party affiliation, are most cordially invited to attend the ceremonies incident to the inauguration.

"Clubs and other bodies that wish to participate should notify the Executive Committee as soon as possible, in order that they may be assigned positions in the parade.

"S. FRENCH HOGE, Chm.;

"ELWOOD HAMILTON,

"PERCY HALY,

"JOHN W. MILAM,

"B. G. WILLIAMS,

"Citizens' Executive Committee of Frankfort."

### Just a Minute.

You will need some nice stationery to write your Christmas notes on won't you? We have either note paper or correspondence cards with embossed monogram at the same price you pay for the ordinary kind.

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### Mrs. Paterson Cleared.

Mrs. Gertrude Gibson Patterson, who killed her husband in Denver, Col., several months ago, was acquitted last week, the jury accepting her plea of self defense.

A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters builds up sound health—keeps you well. 1m

## Notice to Farmers!

From the 10th of November we will be in the market for good fat turkeys at the

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## Commissioner's Sale.

MONTGOMERY CIRCUIT COURT.

T. S. SHROUT, - - - - Plaintiff  
vs.

BERTHA G. MOORE, &c., Defendants

NOTICE OF SALE IN EQUITY.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Montgomery Circuit Court, rendered at the September Term, 1911, thereof, in the above cause, the undersigned will on the

18th Day of December, 1911

at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout (being Court-day), proceed to offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, on a credit of 6 and 12 months, at the Court-house door, in the city of Mt. Sterling, Ky., the property mentioned in the Judgment, to-wit:

A tract of land situated in Montgomery county, Kentucky, on the waters of Stepstone Creek, bounded on the north, south and west by Robert C. Quisenberry and on the east by Thomas Quisenberry, containing about one-half (1/2) acre of land, to include all buildings thereon, and is the same tract of land conveyed by Robert C. and Lucretia Quisenberry to Bertha G. Moore by deed dated April 30th, 1908, and of record in deed book 64, page 62. Montgomery County Court Clerk's office.

To produce \$118.97, so ordered to be made.

The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, according to law. Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms. A lien will be retained on the land sold till all the purchase money is paid. Bond payable to T. S. ShROUT to the extent of his debt, interest and costs, excess to Bertha G. Moore.

JOHN A. JUDY,

21-3 Master Commissioner M. C. C.

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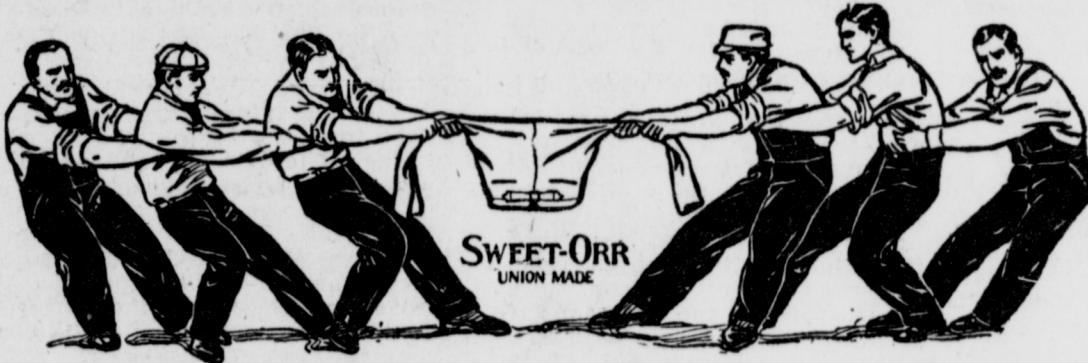
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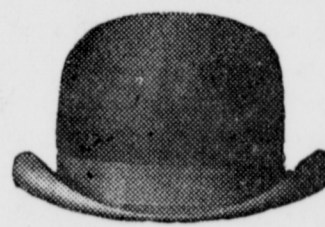


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We have the greatest assortment of styles and qualities ever gotten out in Footwear, showing Tan Calf, Gun Metals, Kid, Velvet, Buckskins, the most popular lasts, and all sizes and widths. See our new assortment of Evening and Dress Slippers.



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## ELKS' ANNUAL MEMORIAL SERVICE

Was Held at the Christian Church  
in This City Sunday--Mon.

Edgar B. Hager Deliv-  
ered the Address.

The Annual Memorial Service of the B. P. O. Elks No. 723 was held at the Christian church Sunday afternoon, the Hon. Edgar B. Hager, of Ashland, delivered the principal address, which was a beautiful tribute to the departed members. The musical program, consisting of a quartette by the Misses Wood and Messrs. Hazelrigg, a duet by the Misses Wood and a solo by Mr. G. B. Senff.

### Mr. Hager's Speech.

"Time rolls his ceaseless course. The race of yore Who danced our infancy upon their knee, And told our marveling boyhood legends store Of their strange ventures happ'd by land or sea, How are they blotted from the things that be! How few all weak and withered from their force Wait on the verge of dark eternity Like standard wrecks, the tide returning hoarse, To sweep them from our sight! Time rolls his ceaseless course."

Thus we are again brought to the annual Lodge of Sorrow, when, with fitting solemnity of ceremony, we are to do honor to the memory of those of our brothers, who, in the ceaseless roll of time, have passed the inner door of the Grand Lodge on High, and have been welcomed by the Grand Exalted Ruler of the Universe.

The sweetest and sublimest part of our ritual is that which teaches that living or dead an Elk is never forgotten, never forsaken. "Morning or noon may pass by him, the light of day sink heedlessly in the west, but ere the shadows of midnight shall fall the chiming of memory will be pealing forth the friendly message, 'To our absent brothers.'" This, in a word, is the true essence of all fraternity, and in no order is it so beautifully exemplified as in the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks.

We are assembled, therefore, to perform those solemn duties we owe to our dead, and to express in words of tenderness the cherished memories we hold of our departed, and thus to give proof of our profession, that "Living or dead, an Elk is never forgotten, never forsaken."

Time in its mutations is ever kaleidoscopic. Transitory life is made up of swiftly changing scenes, and its highway is strewn with shattered hopes and aching hearts and yearning souls where death affrights and life gives hopes of something better in the world beyond. Today sunshine blesses and hallows life. All nature feels the soft, sweet touch of the Almighty's omnipotent and gentle hand. The flowers bloom and give forth their fragrance to the grateful air. The birds in wild and joyous notes carol their

the song bird's home, and, driving and rending leaf and branch, may leave but desolation in its swaying path. Tomorrow the beaming eye may become vacant, staring and expressionless, and radiant happiness may give way to black despair, and sorrow sit where gladness was enthroned. Tomorrow's whirling winds may drive before their ruthless sweep the gentle zephyrs that played about our brow, and freeze the genial blood that warmed to the touch of springtime balm and responded to the call of friendship's happy greeting. Tomorrow the cordial handshake of our friends may relax, and those hands we were wont to grasp in fraternal greeting may fall nerveless from our own, and the fraternal heart that beat in unison with our own may feel its pulsations weak and weaker grow, until, while we a dully watch and wait the end, its action may be stilled for ever in the rigid calm of death.

So thus in life we are in the midst of death. Dissolution attends the door of life's lodge room, and at the approach of death to the inner door it faintly whispers, "Who comes here?" Without knock or pass, or word or token, this grim reaper enters in and the outer and inner guards are impotent to stop his passage. While life, once fed with animated hope, held fraternal intercourse with kindred souls, death stalks alone and silence marks the period of his coming. Chill grapples with the vitals of a brother cherished, and one brief struggle ended, death stands the undisputed victor. Nor are his ravages confined to class or creed; but wherever breath gives life, in palace or in hovel, in Jew or Gentile, in Catholic or in Protestant, after a few fitful years at most, grim death comes on apace and claims to his cold embrace all those marked for his own. In sunny climes, where nature scents the sweet perfume of perpetually blooming flowers, and in frigid zones where bleakness rules alone, death floats in sunshine's rays and rides the boisterous winds. His is a claim from which none of us can escape. His home is in the mountains, where giant oaks lift their state-ly heads to kiss the fleeting clouds, and tumbling rills run wanton to the brooks; in the valleys, where verdure green clothes the warm earth with the velvet carpeting which God and nature weave; on the rivers, where stately craft make merry with the gentle swells, and in the mighty seas, where billows roll with rumbling music's swell.

"The hills, rock-ribbed and ancient as the sun; The vales stretching in pensive quietness between; the venerable woods; The rivers that move in majesty, and The complaining brooks that make the meadows green; And poured round all old ocean's gray and melancholy waste, Are but the solemn decorations all of the great tomb of man."

What is life? We came out of the eternity of the past and we enter the infinity of the future with no certain knowledge of whence we came or whither we go. For centuries science, with her magic wand, has bent o'er the crucible of truth and fanned the fires of hope, watching and waiting and laboring for some transmutation of Nature's wondrous elements that would solve the secret, so long sought of human life, and defeat the fear so long dreaded of certain death, while Religion with her flaming torch and wondrous hope has searched through Revelation's pages for satisfying knowledge of the life beyond the grave. The one in feeble terms asserts a faltering hope; the other, in spite of doubt and fear says, "I believe."

This life with its long train of trials, sorrows and disappointments, would be worse than miserable in its failure were it not for the hope by which it is sustained of the glorious life in God's eternity. The transition from mortal life to death is but the transition from living death to life eternal. All that is mortal is transient and must die and decay. The immortal part of man, that soul and spirit that speak their ethereal existence through the medium of the eye, can never die, but will live throughout the infinite years of all the ages yet to be. That which bids us live, bids us hope and sustains us in our trials while traveling through the "Vale of Tears." When we see the eyes of our loved ones close in death, our poignant grief is softened and our sadness sanctified in the beautiful promise given that we shall meet again in the great hereafter.

So it is with our absent brothers. They have paid their debt of nature and their mortal part slumbers in the bosom of the mother earth while their spirits have aspired the skies, and clothed in the habiliments of immortality, they await upon the other shore to give fraternal greeting. These beloved brethren, to whom today we pay the tribute of our respect, had indeed ended their mortal existence, but through our belief in the mercy of God we may confidently hope that their souls shall bloom in eternal spring. As with these departed brothers, so with us:

"Yet a few days and thee The all beholding sun shall see no more In all his course; nor yet in the cold ground, Where thy pale form was laid, with many tears, Nor in the embrace of ocean, shall exist Thy image. Earth that nourished thee Shall claim Thy growth, to be resolved to earth again; And, lost each human trace, surrendering up Thine individual being, shalt thou go To mix forever with the elements."

Though these, our departed brothers, have ceased to abide with us in the flesh, their spirit and memory, through the happy recollection of fraternal intercourse, still live and at this moment, when we are met to pay our loving tribute to that memory, they hover about us in all the essence of their spiritual being and whisper in the soft accents of Heaven's sweetest cadence their approval of our purpose here today. While we sorely miss the friendly greeting, the fraternal grasp and the mellow accents of brotherly affection and regard, we still hold that which is most sacred and enduring, that which those who follow will hold of us, the tender memories of lodge room associations and the nobility of

character for which they were conspicuous when they moved among us; and that memory is as constant as the fixed Star of Fidelity that continues ever to burn.

Their faults, if faults they had--and who of us has not his faults--we write upon the sand. Their virtues upon the tablet of our love and memory. With us no slander detracts from their earthly achievements; with us, only that which was worthy in their lives is held in fond remembrance. To know that they were worthy of the name of Elk is to know that they were men of worth and character. To know that they bore that name with honor is to know that they merit the highest commendation, and now, as their mortal remains lie hearsed in the cold earth, we catch the inspiration of the good in their lives, and faint would we lift our voices to where the angels sing their loud hosannas about the throne of God, and greet the heavenly spirits of our departed brothers in the fraternal songs of charity and love.

In the busy walks of life; at night, when all the world is wrapped in its sacred hush and the stars shine out with infinite promise to a wondering world; at noon, in the burst of sunshine, and at dawn when the mists roll back the sable curtain of night, we hold the memory of our departed brothers. Forget them? Never so long as love shall fan the flame of fraternal hearts and memory hold its sway over congenial minds.

Transitory life is so brief, that even though they live to the full measure and fruition of three score years and ten, to our eyes,

"Our brother's life Seems like the flashing of a falling star Which for a moment fills the Heavens with light And vanishes forever."

Of those whose death we have somewhat mourned, and whose blissful memory we this day commemorate we would say,

"That even as their souls beyond the stars Shall live--as God lives--everlastingly, So shall the memory of their noble deeds Remain forever in the hearts of Elks; Nor shall the record of their fame be touched By Time's effacing hand. They are immortal."

"Brothers and friends, farewell to you. Your eyes Have death's inviolate seal upon their lids; They seek to see the season's glorious shows. Although methinks in memory of you, The grass grows greener here, and tenderer"

The daily benediction of the sun Falls on your graves, as if the very dust Has sentence still, and kindling into life Under the fiery touchings of the sun, Broke through the turfy barriers of the tomb To mingle with the light and mel- low it; There's not a flower that timidly up- lifts Its smiling face, to look upon the dawn Or bows its head to worship silently The awful glory of the midnight stars, But what takes on a gentler grace, for you And for your sake a sweeter incense flings From out its golden censer."

To know that death is not the end of all life in a consoling thought when the solemn and trying hour of dissolution draws nigh unto us. The animation of the human form by the life-giving current is but the poorer part of life. The true life does not begin until our dust is returned to the earth and our spirit to the God that gave it. In mortal life we are but serving a probationary period in which it should be our special care and study to prepare ourselves for the immortal and everlasting life beyond the grave. On this occasion we should catch an inspiration from the death of our brothers who have preceded us to the shores of eternity, and resolving each to be ready for the call when it shall come let us so live that when the dread summons shall come, when the lights shall grow dim and the features of our loved ones become indistinct in the throes of death's last struggle, let our lives be so ordered that when the attending spirits bend low to bear our souls away to the new life of God's great beyond we may

"Approach our graves Like one who wraps the drapery of his couch About him and lies down to pleasant dreams."

While we commemorate the virtues of our dead it should be our purpose to lend encouragement to and promote the happiness of our living members in charity, justice and brotherly love we should hold them, and in the light of these principles we should judge them. If faults they have, ours is the duty by counsel and precept and example to correct them as we are taught to write their remembrance upon the changing sands. We never know by what impulses a brother may be controlled and can never say just how or why or under what peculiar circumstances error and fault crept into a human life. Therefore,

"Judge not; thy finite mind is weak; Thou canst not balance justice's scales Nor weigh the inanimate universe; Much less, then, judge thy fellow man. Nor canst thou read the motives of His heart, or separate his errors And his blundering mistakes From evil purposes and acts; That which seemed a withering curse May have left his lips a blessing. Breathed upon the wings of prayer."

"Or if thou knewest that his deeds Were wrong, shouldst thou judge hastily? How can thou tell the battles fought, Or 'gainst what odds he met defeat, Or count the legends which encamped In dread array against his soul Thou who hast never met the tempter Face to face, and felt the floods about Thy feet, if thou hadst wrestled with The powers of night, as he has done, Perchance, thou, too, hadst fallen."

Judge not; thou art so liable to err; The mists of time so blur thy sight, And seem dimly at the best, That which seemed so clear to thee

Viewed from thy point of vantage ground, If seen within thy brother's sphere Might prove to be so different.

"Judge not; or if thou judge at all, Then judge in love and charity. Judge with the heart and not the mind. The impetuous heart is often Truer than the calculating mind. Thy heart doth plead against thy will; Thy heart is right, thy judgment wrong."

Judge others as you judge yourself; Or as you would that others should, The measure of your judgment Give again. Judge as you would when time Has sundered far and continents Have come between. Judge as you would

When on the pulseless breast the Silent hands are folded and Death Has sealed the past and Charity Keeps silent vigil o'er the tomb."

"Why will you judge? Life is so short; And soon before the Bar of God We all shall stand, to judgment called. Forgive and love, 'tis better far; Leave judgment to Omniscient God."

Sublimar sentiments than these ne'er gave inspiration to poet's pen. We are too apt to judge too harshly and without that full consideration that justice in every error and human weakness would demand. Let us each and all, under the full inspiration of this solemn hour, reconsecrate our hearts to that noblest of all the virtues, Charity, with which we should mantle the frailties of our fellow men, and in conscientious ritualistic performance, let us who have passed the threshold of Elkdome and been inducted into its mysteries and its beauties ever mark well the stroke of eleven, which in this Order signifies "Remembrance."

"Wherever an Elk may roam, whatever his lot in life may be, when this hour falls upon the dial of night, the great heart of Elkdome swells and throbs. It is the golden hour of recollection, the home-coming of those who wander, the mystic roll call of those who will come no more."

Even in this commercial and utilitarian age, we are living and acting upon and are controlled by the thoughts of the illustrious dead of ages past. Their written thoughts, grown sublimer as the years dissolve, yet have as binding force as when they were conceived in that giant brain that gave them birth.

Plato is dead, and countless centuries have turned back the roll of time and the pages of the world's best philosophy, yet he is still, in all history, the world's greatest philosopher and the profound wisdom of his thoughts are as controlling and as potent as when he gave sublime instruction to the Grecian mind.

Moses is dead, and the sunshine and rain of vanished ages have passed over his lonely tomb in the land of Moab, yet he to the Jewish people, and perhaps to all races of people, is the greatest law giver that ever established order in human rights and human action.

Buddha is dead, yet today he controls from his tomb the thought, the action and the destiny of the people whose religion he established.

Confucius, China's greatest philosopher, has for untold cycles of time lain in his grave, still his laws are China's laws and he is as powerful in his control of the Chinese thought as when he first unfolded his marvelous philosophy to the Celestial people.

Long years have passed since the soul of the great Corsican took its flight from the narrow cell in which it was all too closely confined on the barren rock of St. Helena's exile, and his remains now rest in the great mausoleum built for him by his people, but from his tomb he still governs France and it was his influence that drove from the throne the last of the Bourbon kings and placed the crown upon the head of Napoleon III.

Abraham Lincoln is dead, and sleeps in his simple grave, still mourned by the American people; but the ages may come and the ages may go, his greatness and his wisdom and his words will exercise a beneficent influence over American thought in all the generations yet unborn.

Centuries have passed since the Savior was crucified upon the cruel cross on calvary, and the ravages of the countless ages since he lived have wrought destruction to most of the sacred places where he walked and talked, while His holy sepulcher is left to the perpetual profanation of the Turk; yet to the Christian, who holds to the glorious hope of immortality, His teachings are as sublimely beautiful, and in their undefiled purity and simplicity of their first utterance, are followed with trusting faith as meekly and as willingly as when they first fell from His lips while teaching His apostles, and today He is believed in more sincerely and with less doubt by those who follow Him than when he reanimated the lifeless form of the widow's son and caused the gathered mourners to wonder at His power.

O, that we who are gathered here in this solemn hour might speak some thought or perform some act great enough to leave its impress on all the centuries yet unborn! The ambitious desire to not live in vain, but in our brief span to accomplish something by which we shall hereafter be known and by which the world shall profit and be better, long after we have been consigned to our earthly graves, is the noblest desire that can spur with ambition the yearning heart of any man.

If we fall short of this, our lives are unimportant save in the limited circle in which we move. The saying or doing of something that shall survive our earthly lives are the only things worth saying, the only acts worth performing. Let us all henceforth be imbued with the desire and the ambition to sow in the fruitful lives of men the seed whose continuously recurring crops may be garnered and gathered by all those who follow us in the coming years after we are gone.

Let us not be content to live only in the present, but in the performance of noble and righteous deeds and the utterance of virtuous thoughts let us be the engineers of our own lives and destiny project the lines of our lives far into the mists of the unfolded future. Let us endeavor to sow as we go the seed of the great harvest that shall be reaped at the "Millennial Dawn" and plant the standards of

truth, justice and charity on the ramparts of our little world.

To have such ambitions as these is the noblest conception of our duty as Elks and the sublimest destiny that any man may seek to make for himself in the ordering of the purpose of his life.

To you, my living brothers, and to those out of the Order who have paid us the courtesy and honor of their presence here today, all hail and God speed. To you, our absent brothers, whose names are inscribed not only upon the memorial tablets within our temple, but in letters of living light upon our fraternal hearts, farewell thy mortal presence!

"Good-night, good-bye! Above our sorrow, brothers, thine is a fair good-morrow in some far luminous world of light. Yet take this farewell, love's best token. We leave thee to thy rest unbroken. God have thee in His care. Good-night!"

For you, whose mortal ears catch the words that speak from my heart in unschooled accents, may life's sweetest blessings ever attend you, and songs of happiness and of love e'er spring eternal in your hearts. If any inspiration to duty shall have been instilled by words of mine, I shall have accomplished what accepters may not arbitrarily command. May your path-way e'er be strewn with the roses of charity and love, and your lives crowned with the priceless diadem of duty well performed, so that when you shall approach the border line of that unknown land where the spirits of your departed brothers have solved all the doubts and the mysteries of the future state and await to welcome you to the eternal bliss of angel's symphonies beyond the skies, you shall meet the grim reaper with Christian repose and merit laudatory words from your fellow man, while we who may look upon the last sad scene with tearful eyes and aching hearts, when the rustle of angels' wings shall awake your souls in the better world, may say of you,

"Good night, sweet prince, And flights of angels tend thee to thy rest."

To you, our absent brothers, we pay this tribute of our respect in loving remembrance of the endearing ties by which you were bound to us while you were one of us in the flesh. Undisturbed may be your last earthly repose! May the first feeble rays of Heaven's sun that drive away the mists that hover above your graves, kiss in loving tenderness the sod that makes beautiful and green your last resting place, and may its last rays at evening tide linger in fondness over your mounds, and with its golden benediction leave your rest to a night of peace. Blessed assurance is yours that though you are gone from us, you are not forgotten, nor shall be so long as the crimson current of our hearts shall vitalize our earthly life. To you, farewell! Soon we who yet linger here shall follow your way and be united once again in the communion of our souls! Farewell, "A word that has been and must be; a sound that makes us linger, yet, farewell." Short may this parting be. Brief may be our earthly separation, and when all shall end, joyful will be our reuniting. Farewell!

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## CORRESPONDENCE.

### PLUM LICK.

(By James Kendall.)

Willie Barker and wife have moved to Tennessee.

James Kendall was at Stanton and Clay City last week on business.

K. I. Richie, who recently had a sale, will rent his farm out and move to Winchester.

Miss Mabel Reed dismissed school for Thanksgiving and visited her parents at Pealed Oak.

James Scott and family, of South Dakota, after a pleasant visit back in old Kentucky, have returned home.

Tracy McClain, Wibaux, Montana, while on his way back from Virginia, where he had taken a car load of horses, stopped off at Mt. Sterling and visited his many friends in Mt. Sterling and visited his many friends in the county. It was the first time we had met him since 1908, when we visited his bungalow and stayed over night with him while he was batching on the "lone prairie" in the wilds of Montana.

### HIGH TOP.

(By Stanly Henry.)

Mr. Earl Henry returned home last week from Illinois.

W. T. Henry is going to have a sale of live stock Dec. 7.

W. F. Henry sold his farm of 35 acres to H. C. Caywood.

Minnie and Mollie P. Henry, of Mt. Sterling, were visiting friends here last week.

J. W. Mee bought 22 head of cattle shoats from parties in Bourbon county for \$4.75 per hundred.

Mrs. Tucker, of near High Top, sold corn to W. B. Flanders, of Bourbon county, for \$4.00 per barrel.

Mr. Dud Henry gave his friends a delightful Thanksgiving dance. Music was furnished by the High Top string band.

Miss Lela Henry, who has been attending school at Georgetown, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Henry.

Mr. William Barker and wife left last Monday for Hickory Grove, Tenn., where he will have control of a 1,000 acre ranch. His many friends wish him much good luck.

### GRASSY LICK.

(By Miss Elizabeth Carr.)

Jesse Rushford and wife visited here Sunday.

Mrs. T. J. Carr bought a cow from G. B. Swango.

T. H. Carr and wife are visiting relatives in Winchester.

L. W. Mallory and wife, of Howards Mill, visited here Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Rushford visited her daughter in Winchester last week.

Miss Lillie Cravens visited Miss Virgie Dimmette at Sharpsburg Sunday.

Fred McCormick and wife, of Spencer, visited W. E. Sledd and wife Sunday.

Bruce Robbins, who attends college at Winchester, was at home Thanksgiving.

W. E. Sledd and wife attended the funeral of Mr. Geo. Bramlett in Carlisle Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson has returned from New York, where she has been attending school.

Wm. Howell and Dunlap Gay left Sunday to attend the International Stock Show in Chicago.

Mrs. Richard Raburn attended the funeral of her brother, Mr. Batts, in Winchester last week.

Misses Nellie Ramsey and Mary Mason, who are attending school at Paris, were at home Thanksgiving.

George Carr, of Winchester, visited his grand-parents, T. J. Carr and wife, from Thursday till Sunday.